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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R 1.63 and 1.67

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I believe that I an inventor of the subject matter of a patent application entitled:

**A COMPUTER AUDIO SYSTEM**

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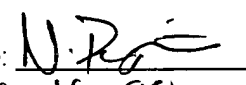
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